

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

TIMOTHY J. OBRIEN

Serial No.: 09/965,738

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For: REPEAT SEQUENCES OF THE CA125
GENE AND THEIR USE FOR
DIAGNOSTIC AND THERAPEUTIC
INTERVENTIONS



Group Art Unit No.: 1635

Examiner: Gary B. Nickol

Attorney Docket No.: 022438.43865

RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 121

Mail Stop: AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to Office Action dated July 13, 2005, issued in connection with the above-identified Application, which is now due for a response September 13, 2005 (with a one month extension of time), please consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings: None.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached on page 10.